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The Daily Courant.

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From the Amſterdam Gazette, dated May 8.

LEtters from Bolzano of the 27th of April, tell us Prince Eugene of Savoy paſs'd through that Place, Poſt, the 23d in the Morning; and deſign'd to reach Roveredo the ſame Day, and thence to proceed to the Imperial Army in Italy; 6000 Men of the Pruſſian Troops had likewiſe paſs'd by Bolzano, and the reſt of the Auxiliary Troops were expected there in a ſhort Time.

From the Amſt. Courant, &c. dated May 9 &c.

Vienna, April 25. The Emperor, who has been indiſpos'd ſeveral Days, found himſelf grow ſo very ill laſt Night that he thought fit to receive the Sacrament at 2 a Clock this Morning; but a cerrain chymical Preparation that he has ſince taken, has given him great Relief; however he is thought to be in a very dangerous Condition ſtill, and therefore the Hoſt is expos'd in the Cathedral of St. Stephen, publick Prayers are made in all the other Churches of the City, and ſolemn Proceſſions are to he made 3 Days ſucceſſively, to move Heaven to reſtore him to Health. He has made his Will, and his Voice is much alter'd. He has a Swelling in his Legs which begins to ſpread upwards: 'Tis ſuppos'd to be the Dropſy.

From the Amſterdam Courant, dated May 9.

Ratisbon, April 30. The Envoy of Brandenburg, took Occaſion Yeſterday to ſignify to the Diet, that the King of Pruſſia his Maſter had determin'd to ſend 12000 Men to ſerve on the Moſelle with the 5000 he has there already; ſo that with the 8000 that are to ſerve in Italy, 25000 Pruſſians will be employ'd this Campaign againſt the common Enemy.

From the Paris Letter, dated May 1. and Leiden Gazette, May 7.

Nimes, April 25. The Duke of Berwick and Monſieur de Baſville Intendant of our Province, being inform'd that there were 3 ſuſpected Perſons in a certain Houſe in Montpellier, gave Orders to the Prevot (or Provoſt-Marſhal) to ſieze them: Accordingly the Prevot went to the Houſe, and the firſt of them he met fir'd a Piſtol at him, ſo near that he burnt his Wig; then the Prevot fir'd at him and ſhot him through the Head; one of the Archers that were with the Prevot, wounded another of them; and the 3d found means to get out of the Houſe, but was taken in the Street. He was carried before Monſieur de Baſville, to whom he offer'd to make great Diſcoveries, and to ſhew where Ravanal and Catinat might be found, provided he would give him his Life. Thereupon Monſieur de Baſville immediately ſent him away with 8 Archers: With whom he came hither, and directed them to ſearch the Houſe of Monſieur Alizon, an eminent Tradeſman of this City. At Midnight the Town Major, with a good Guard, went thither, and found Ravanel, Jonquet, and Devila of St. Hipolite, who had been an Officer in the Regiment of Dragoons of Languedoc. At the ſame Time ſearch was made in another Houſe, where Catinat was ſuppos'd to be: But he was not found. The 3 Priſoners we mention'd, with Monſieur Alizon, and Monſieur la Croix, another Tradeſman of this Town who was found in his Houſe with Ravanel, were carried to our Cittadel. The Duke of Berwick, and Monſieur de Baſville being inform'd of this, came from Montpellier hither; and juſt after the latter had ſent for the Judges to meet, to try the Criminals, News was brought him that Catinat was alſo ſiez'd by an Officer on the Guard at one of the Town-Gates; and not long after he was actually brought to the Council-Chamber, where the Judges were ſitting. Ravanal and Catinet were condemn'd to be burnt alive, Devila and Jonquet to be broken alive upon the Wheel, and all four firſt to ſuffer the ordinary and extraordinary Queſtion or Torture. Catinat who appear'd to be the moſt reſolute of them, and out of whom 'twas believ'd nothing could be got, confeſs'd more than the reſt. The 21ſt of laſt Month, in the Evening, they wery led out to be executed; but Time being ſpent in confronting with them ſeveral other Priſoners who would not own to be of their Accomplices, the Execution was put off to the next day; mean time Monſieur Alizon confeſs'd, that there were Arms and Powder in a Mill a little Way out of the Town; which being ſearch'd, there were found in it 4 Waggon Loads of Muſquets and a large Barrel of Powder: He and the reſt diſcover'd likewiſe that Arms and Ammunition were hid in 50 Places more. The Conſpiracy they had form'd, was to have been executed the 25th. They were to have begun with Maſſacring all the Catholicks of Nimes and Montpellier, ['tis the Paris Letter that ſpeaks] and then to have march'd into the Country, where they might have committed the Violences they intended, without much Difficulty, it being believ'd that the Tranquility of this Country was re-eſtabliſh'd, when being Pardon'd they retir'd out of the Kingdom. They had gain'd ſeveral Perſons to their Party who were not ſuſpected, by aſſuring them they ſhould be powerfully ſuccour'd by Troops which a numerous Fleet would land in our Ports, where they kept ſecret Intelligence.

The Amſterdam Gazette, in the Advices from Montpellier and Nimes, ſays 60 Perſons were taken up in Montpellier upon the Confeſſion of the Man who was ſiez'd in that Town. That 7 more were ſiez'd at Pont Juvenal near Montpellier. That Catinat, Ravanel, Devila, and Jonquet, were executed the 22d, according to the Sentence paſs'd upon them; that Meſſieurs Alizon and Alegre, both Dealers in Silk, were likewiſe broken alive: That a Nephew of Alizon's and 3 others whom he names, were hang'd; That la Croix, was condemn'd to the Galleys, in Conſideration of his Youth: And that Meſſieurs Mourgue, Father and Son, and ſeveral others are in Priſon in Nimes.

The Paris Letter of March 4, ſays they had a Report that Cavalier, the fam'd chief of the Camiſars, was taken at St. Giles within 2 Leagues of Nimes.

From the Paris Gazette, dated May 2.

Metz, April 23. The Marſhal Duke de Villars, having form'd a Deſign to beat the Enemy out of their Quarters in the Dutchy of Deuxponts, drew together the Troops that were in the beſt Condition to take a March of 6 or 7 Days. The 15th he caus'd them to march by different Routes, with ſo great Secrecy and Expedition, that they arriv'd upon the Saar before the Enemy had intelligence of their Approach. He follow'd them the 18th, and having paſs'd the Saar, caus'd them to advance towards the Blize, where they found only one Bridge, and that defended by a Redoubt and ſome Intrenchments. Some Grenadiers that were put into Boats, attack'd and took the Redoubt, and in it 30 Palatine Soldiers with the Officer who commanded them. Several Detachments having paſs'd the Bridge took different ways,

ways, one of them commanded by the Sieur Stref, went to a Place not far from it where ſome of the Enemy's Horſe were Quarter'd: But they being warn'd by the Noiſe of the Attack of the Bridge, fled away, ſo that only a few Priſoners were taken, and with them a great deal of Baggage. The Marquis de Roſel march'd to Deuxponts, and though General Butler, with his Garriſon, was fled out of it, above 150 Priſoners were taken; the Marquis de Druys march'd towards Hornbach, but not being able to paſs quickly the River Horn, which was ſwell'd by Rain, the Garriſon had time to make their Eſcape. The Fright of the Enemy was ſo great, that we learn by a great Number of Deſerters, that Couſſel, Landſtoul, Kaiſerlauter, and ſeveral other Quarters were abandon'd, the Troops that were in them retiring towards Mentz and Landau. They would have been purſued cloſer, had not continual Rains render'd the Roads unpaſſable. Wherefore the Marſhal de Villars though fit to bring back the Troops, to finiſh the putting them into a Condition of making the Campaign.

From Leid. and Amſt. Gaz. dated May 7 & 8.

Paris, May 1. We have receiv'd Advice, that the Duke of Vendome is gone to the Grand Prior of France his Brother, to confer with him, and take a View of the Army in the lower Lombardy and the Poſts they poſſeſs. Monſieur de Lapara is in the Camp before Mirandola, having the Direction of that Siege. The Marſhal de Marſin is gone to Strasbourg. The Marſhal de Villars keeps quiet ſince his Incurſion into the Dutchy of Deuxponts. The King has given no Audience this Fortnight; nor been preſent this Week in Council; but has a State of the moſt important Affairs laid before him from Time to Time, at certain Hours when he is moſt at Eaſe from the Pain of the Gout which he has in both Feet. Private Letters from Marli, ſay he has had but little Sleep theſe 8 Days; that he is much weaken'd by his Indiſpoſition, and that 'tis fear'd there is ſomething more than the Gout in it.

The Amſterdam Courant, in the Article from Paris of the 4th of May, ſays the King of France is grown well enough to walk in the Garden of Marli, tho' not without uneaſineſs.

From the Paris Letter, dated May 4.

Paris, May 4. The King has order'd the Muſquetaires, Genſdarmes, Light Horſe, and 6 Companies of the French Guards, to march to the Coaſts of Normandy, to guard them from any Inſults of the Enemy's Fleet. Theſe Troops take no Baggage with them; but will find all things they may want provided for them on their Route. Letters of the 27th of laſt Month from Grenoble, adviſe, that there are 14000 Bombs ready fill'd lying there, and that there are at Suſa 54 heavy Cannon and 36 Mortars, which are put upon new Carriages: That the 4th of this Month the Duke de la Feuillade was to form an Army near Pignerol, in order to beſiege Turin, in Conjunction with the Duke of Vendome, who is expected from the lower Lombardy the 15th of this Month. 'Tis confirm'd, that above 70 Veſſels convoy'd by 6 Men of War from Toulon, having landed near Genoa a great Quantity of Ammunitions and Proviſions for our Troops, it was immediately forwarded to Piemont. Monſieur de Lapara did not open the Trenches before Mirandola till the 19th of laſt Month: An Expreſs has brought an Account that our Men lodg'd themſelves on an Angle of the Covert-Way the 22d. The Place has deep Ditches, and the Fortifications of it are in a good Condition: So that 'tis believ'd it may hold out till the 5th or 6th Inſtant. While the Preparations were making for opening the Trenches, the Garriſon made a Sally, but were repuls'd with the Loſs of 3 Men kill'd and 10 made Priſoners. We have receiv'd Advice, that the Griſons have ſecur'd all the Corn in the Valteline and the County of Chiavenne, and remov'd it into their own Country, leaving the Inhabitants no more than will ſerve them 4 Months; to the End the Impecialiſts may find no Subſiſtance, if they attempt to march by the Way of the Lake of Como.

Hague, May 7. The 2d Inſtant Monſieur d' Auverquerque, ſet out from hence to go to Maeſtricht. The Duke of Marlborough, lay the 4th at Night at Amerong, he propos'd to be to day at Maeſtricht, where the Engliſh Troops are drawn together; after he has given neceſſary Orders for their marching towards the Moſelle, he will proceed to Coblentz, there to confer with Prince Lewis of Baden, and then go to Trier. Monſieur Almelo, went from hence the 4th at Night to Coblentz, to be preſent at the Conferences deſign'd to be held there. The Duke of Wirtemberg, General of the Daniſh Troops, is ſet out from hence for the Moſelle; Lieutenant General Baron Spar, is gone to Flanders; and General Churchil and Lieutenant General Ingoldsby, who arriv'd here from England the 4th Inſtant, are gone towards the Frontier. Admiral Allemonde is on board the Fleet, and waits only for a fair Wind to ſail.

We defer giving the King of France's Arret and Declaration promis'd in yeſterday's Codrant, till we have firſt given the moſt material News brought by the 4 Dutch Mails.

Not Acted theſe four Years.

AT the Queen's Theatre in the Hay-Market, on Thurſday next, being the 3d of May, will be Reviv'd, a Play call'd, King Henry the Eighth: With the Fall of Cardinal Wolſey.

An Entertainment by

Mr. *CLINCH* of *BARNET*, who imitates the Flute, Double Curtail, the Organ with three Voices, the Horn, Huntſman and Pack of Hounds, and ſeveral other things too tedious to be inſerted. To be ſeen at the Swan Tavern over againſt Somerſet-Houſe in the Strand, this preſent Tueſday, being the 1ſt of May, beginning between 6 and 7 a Clock in the Evening. price 1 s.

This is to ſatisfy the Town, that during the Time of May-Fair, enſuing,

Mr. PINKETHMAN and Mr. FINLY, for Time paſt having had the honour to give Satisfaction to the Quality, in their ſeparate Booths, and ſtill being willing to keep up the Grandeur of the ſaid Fair, have continu'd to the utmoſt of their Endeavours to divert the Town with ſome new and ſurpriſing Entertainments, which they hope will give Satisfaction in general.

Their ſeparate Entertainments will be expreſt upon their Bills, in and about the Town. And their Booths will ſtand as uſual.

Loſt on Saturday Night laſt between the Hours of 7 and 9, betwixt the Old Pallace and Buckingham Houſe in St. James's Park, a Blue Turkey-Leather Letter-Caſe, wherein were ſeveral Papers, and a Bill drawn on Meſſieurs Thomas and Michael Carbonell, for 46 l. 5 s. 11 d. by Tho. Jutland: The Payment thereof being ſtopt, it will be of no uſe but to the Owners, the Perſon that hath found it is deſired to bring it to Willey's Coffee-houſe near the Cuſtom-London, or to the Queen-ſtreet Coffee-houſe, in Queen-ſtreet, Weſtminſter, ſhall have 10 s. Reward.

There is lately arriv'd at Billingſgate a Veſſel with very large, new and white Newfoundland Cod-fiſh, taken as Prize from the French; never landed, ſalted with choice French Bay-ſalt, weighing 14 or 15 Pounds the Couple, one with the other, to be ſold at 9 d. the Couple retail. And for Commanders of Ships taking a quantity, to be deliver'd at 8 d. clear of all Charges into any Boats at Billingſgate Stairs.

Propoſals for *Printing* a Collection of all the Monuments, Inſcriptions, &c. through the 3 Kingdoms, illuſtrated with curious Cuts, &c. There having for ſome time been carrying on a Deſign to Print in large Folio, the Monuments, Inſcriptions, &c. Antient and Modern, of Perſons of both Sexes, through England, Scotland and Ireland, who for their Learning, Piety, Magnificence and Valour, have deſerved well of their Country, the moſt remarkable of which will be done into Engliſh for the benefit of the Reader; with an Appendix, containing the Real, but Jocular Epitaphs: And Propoſals having been Printed 5 Months ago, and ſent down to many curious Perſons throughout the Kingdom for their Aſſiſtance in this Work, who have given great Encouragement therein; and furniſh'd conſiderable Materials: And the Undertakers having purchaſed at great Expence many curious Copper Plates of remarkable publick Monuments, and ſeveral Perſons in Gratitude to their deceaſed Relations or Benefactors, having ſubſcrib'd to be at the Expence of Engraving the Tombs erected for them, with an account of their Families, which in this Book will be ſeen throughout the Kingdom, that ſtand in a Corner of only one Church; they therefore offer their Propoſals to the Publick, which may be ſeen at large at J. Nicholſon's, at the King's Arms in Little-Britain, and R. Knaplock's, at the Angel and Crown in St. Paul's Church-Yard.

In a ſhort Time will be publiſh'd, by *Sam. Buckley* at the *Dolphin* in *Little Britain*.

The Life of Monſieur *John Baptiſt Pocquelin de* MOLIERE, the fam'd Author of the beſt French Comedies. Tranſlated from the Original, written in French by Monſieur *de Grimareſt*, and very lately printed at *Paris* in 12o.

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